

# HOUSE BILL No. 1515

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## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 36-9-28.5.

**Synopsis:** Stormwater runoff from developed real property. Requires counties and municipalities to establish a policy by January 1, 2001, for the management of stormwater runoff from developed real property. Provides that the policy may, but is not required to, provide for the actual management of stormwater runoff. Establishes the geographic scope that a policy must cover.

**Effective:** July 1, 1999.

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**Leuck, Lutz J**

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January 19, 1999, read first time and referred to Committee on Environmental Affairs.

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Introduced

First Regular Session 111th General Assembly (1999)

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

1 SECTION 1. IC 36-9-28.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE  
2 AS A **NEW** CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
3 JULY 1, 1999]:

4 **Chapter 28.5. Management of Stormwater Runoff From**  
5 **Developed Real Property**

6 **Sec. 1. This chapter applies to counties and municipalities.**

7 **Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "policy" refers to a policy**  
8 **adopted under this chapter for the management of stormwater**  
9 **runoff from developed real property.**

10 **Sec. 3. By January 1, 2001, the legislative body of a unit shall**  
11 **establish a policy of the unit for the management of stormwater**  
12 **runoff from developed real property in the unit. The legislative**  
13 **body may establish the policy by resolution or ordinance.**

14 **Sec. 4. The policy may, but is not required to, provide for the**  
15 **actual management of stormwater runoff from developed real**  
16 **property.**

17 **Sec. 5. (a) If the unit is a city, the geographic scope of the city's**

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- 1 policy must include all territory located within the city.  
2 (b) If the unit is a town, the geographic scope of the town's  
3 policy must include all territory located within the town unless the  
4 legislative body of the town specifies by resolution that the  
5 territory of the town be included in the policy of the county where  
6 the town is located.  
7 (c) If the unit is a county, the geographic scope of the county's  
8 policy must include:  
9 (1) all territory of the county that is not located within a  
10 municipality; and  
11 (2) all territory of a town located in the county that has  
12 adopted a resolution under subsection (b).

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